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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: GV US

SUBJECT: MEDIA TREATMENT OF
UKOG RELATIONS WARMING

REF: CONAKRY 1217

1. ON JULY 12 LOCAL "VOICE OF THE REVOLUTION" (VOR) RADIO
BROADCAST CARRIED TEXT OF LETTER OF APPRECIATION FROM
PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT SEKOU TOURE IN RESPONSE LATTER'S
CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE ON FOURTH OF JULY.

2. IN ADDITION CURRENT EDITION OF PDG WEEKLY
"HOROYA " PRINTED THREE SEPARATE ARTICLES ON U.S.- RELATED
ACTIVITIES. FIRST WAS PDG CENTRAL
COMMITTEE COMMUNIQUE ON RECENT BEAVOGUI VISIT TO U.S. TEXT
OF COMMUNIQUE WAS POSITIVE AND FOLLOWED
WORD FOR WORD THAT OF
AN EARLIER VOR ANNOUNCEMENT WHICH WAS MADE UPON RETURN OF
DELEGATION (REFTEL). SECOND ARTICLE CAST AMBASSADOR'S
FOURTH OF JULY RECEPTION IN HIGHLY COMPLIMENTARY LIGHT,
RECOUNTED HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS OF
AMERICAN REVOLUTIONARY WAR, NAMED SIX GOG
MINISTERS IN ATTENDANCE AT FOURTH OF JULY RECEPTION,AND
EXPRESSED PRESIDENT SEKOU TOURE'S PERSONAL CONGRATULATIONS
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TO AMERICAN PEOPLE ON OCCASION OF 201ST BIRTHDAY. THIRD
ARTICLE COMMEMORATED ANNIVERSARY OF 100TH BIRTHDAY OF
GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER, NOTING HIS RECENT ADMISSION TO
NEW YORK HALL OF FAME.

3. COMMENT:CONTINUING EFFORTS BY GOG TO GIVE TIME TO
U.S. EVENTS ON VOR, HOWEVER BRIEF, AND APPEARANCE OF

COVERAGE IN "HOROYA" ARE
CLEAR INDICATIONS THAT GUINEA'S INITIATIVE TO
IMPROVE RELATIONS WITH WASHINGTON IS INTENDED TO COME TO
ATTENTION OF GUINEAN PUBLIC. "HOROYA"
COVERAGE IS SIGNIFICANT NOT ONLY BECAUSE IT RECEIVES
WIDE DISTRIBUTION THROUGHOUT CAPITAL BUT BECAUSE IT IS,
IN EFFECT, DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE OF NEW GOG-U.S.
ATMOSPHERE.
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